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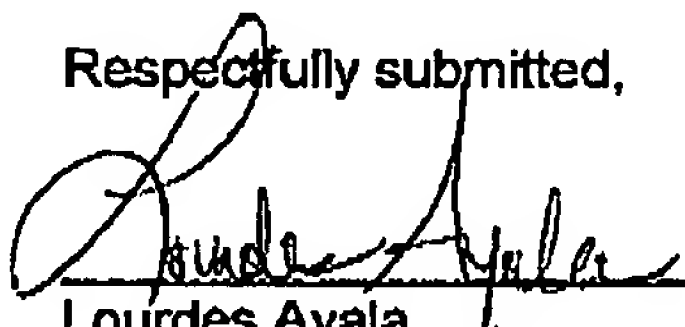
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application. The fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) for filing an RCE is \$790.00.

1. Please consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 previously filed on February 20, 2006.
2. Please charge the fee for filing an RCE fees, estimated to be \$790.00, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701.

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